**PATENT** Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 07648.0002

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re Application of:  |                              |
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| JIAN LI, ET AL.  | )<br>Group Art Unit: 1743    |
| Application No.: 09/513,207  | )<br>Examiner: A. Soderquist |
| Filed: February 24, 2000   | )                            |
| For: SIMULTANEOUS AND RAPID DETERMINATION OF MULTIPLE COMPONENT CONCENTRATIONS IN A MULTI- COMPONENT CHEMICAL PROCESS STREAM Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231 | TC 1700                      |

Sir:

## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of April 15, 2002. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to respond to the above  $\boxtimes$ Office Action. Please debit our Deposit Account No. 06-0916 for the \$920.00 fee.

The claims are calculated below:

|   | Claims Remaining After Amendment |   | Highest Number<br>Previously Paid | Present<br>Extra | Rate    | /  | Additional<br>Fee |
|---|----------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|------------------|---------|----|-------------------|
| Total   | 24                               | - | 20                                | 4                | x \$ 18 | \$ | 72.00             |
| Indep.  | 4                                | - | 4                                 | 0                | x \$ 84 |    | <u>-</u>          |
| ☐ First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s) +\$280 |                                  |   |                                   |                  |         |    |                   |
| Subtotal  |                                  |   |                                   |                  |         |    | 72.00             |
| Reduction by ½ if small entity                        |                                  |   |                                   |                  |         |    | [number]          |
| TOTAL   |                                  |   |                                   |                  |         |    | 72.00             |

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Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-097

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Services under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8 on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

on October 15, 2002

Barry Biddle

## **Enclosure:**

THE PROPERTY AND THE

- 1. Amendment Transmittal 1 page
- 2. Amendment 4 pages
- 3. Petition for Extension of Time 1 page
- 4. Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 4 pages
- 5. Postcard